#### **BUDGET COMPARISON**

#### Supplemental Aid for Essential Services

The State of Tennessee received the first payment from the federal government for supplemental aid for essential services in the amount of \$96.7 million on June 10, 2003. These funds will be used to assist the State in closing fiscal year 2002-2003 by covering the costs of various mandated programs including Tenncare. The State anticipates receiving an additional \$96.7 million in fiscal year 2003-2004 under the same program. These funds are not reflected in the Budget Comparison portrayed on the following pages.

# Federal Medical Assistance Program

The State also anticipates receiving an additional \$40 million for fiscal year 2002-2003 based on the increased federal match for expenditures incurred between April 1, 2003 and June 30, 2003 in the Tenncare program. In fiscal year 2003-2004, the State anticipates receiving an additional \$150-\$160 million based on actual expenditures incurred in the program. These funds are not reflected in the Budget Comparison portrayed on the following pages.

# **BUDGET COMPARISON**

	Estimated FY 02-03	Recommended FY 03-04
Total State Budget Less federal revenues Less other revenues (depts., Tuition/student fees, bonds)	\$20.62 B (\$7.73 B) (\$3.32 B)	\$21.77 B (\$8.39 B) (\$3.52 B)
Subtotal State Appropriations Less appropriations from dedicated state sources	\$9.57 B (\$256 M)	\$9.86 B (\$249 M)
Taxpayers Budget Plus TennCare supplemental appropriations	\$9.31 B \$195 M	\$9.61 B N/A
Total Taxpayers Budget	\$9.51 B	\$9.61 B Increase \$103 M

#### **BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS**

TOTAL BUDGET, FISCAL 2003-04 State Appropriations Federal Funds Other Revenue <sup>1</sup>	\$21.77 Billion \$9.86 billion \$8.39 billion \$3.52 billion
ESSENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS	\$628.8 Million
TennCare K-12 Education Employee Pay and Benefits Correction Mental Retardation Children's Services Homeland Security Safety Other Programs	\$327.9 million \$111.2 million \$93.4 million \$21.9 million \$17.0 million \$10.5 million \$8.4 million \$4.8 million \$33.7 million
KEY REDUCTIONS	\$316.8 Million
Agencies and Departments Highway Funds Shared Taxes with Local Governments Real Estate Transfer Tax Miscellaneous Grants General Assembly	\$195.9 million \$65.8 million \$37.2 million \$12.4 million \$3.4 million \$2.1 million

# PROGRAMS EXEMPTED INCLUDE

K-12 Basic Education Program Mental Retardation **Homeland Security** Programs Funded by Dedicated Taxes or Fees Judiciary<sup>2</sup>

# WORKFORCE ADJUSTMENTS

Abolish 792 positions

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes special revenues, tuition and fees.
 <sup>2</sup> Judiciary taking 2.5% reduction. District Attorney and Public Defender offices taking at least a 2.5% cut.